BANGALORE CITY MUNICIPALITY.

No. 61

PROCEEDINGS OF THE ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, BANGALORE, HELD ON SATURDAY THE 7TH MAY 1927, AT 8 A.M., IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Members.

Present ... ... 19 | Absent ... ... 11.

1. Letter dated 5th instant from Mr. G. Paramasiviah, Municipal Councillor expressing his inability to attend the meeting was read and recorded.

2. The proceedings of the Council Meetings, dated 6th, 7th and 12th April 1927, were taken as read.

3. Answers to the interpellations tabled by Messrs. B. Abdur Rahmon, G. B. Raghavendrachar and B. L. Byanna were typed and furnished to all the Councillors.

Deferred Su-jects.

2. To approve the deviation statement relating to the construction of the Market Frontage, received from the Seecial Engineer, City Improvement Works, with his No. C. I. 2038, dated 7th May 1927.

Resolution.—The deviation statement resulting in an excess of Rs. 5,000 over the sanctioned estimate is approved.

(Sanctioned Estimate ... ... Rs. 1,20,763.
Revised Estimate ... ... Rs. 1,25,763.)

8. To sanction the acquisition of properties situated to the east of Market Frontage up to Avenue Road as per plan and valuation statement approved by the City Improvement Committee.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

9. To approve acquisition of properties situated to the north of Cattle Pound upto Police Road, as per plan and valuation statement received from the Special Engineer with memo No. 1883, dated 18th April 1927.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

10. To approve the following resolutions of the Special Finance Committee, dated 14th September 1926 :—

(*a*) Resolved that in view of the fact that the general revision of assessments in the City has fallen heavily into arrears, a Special Revenue Officer of the grade of a Senior Amildar on a salary of Rs. 200 plus Rs. 50 be appointed as a temporary measure for a period of six months, charged with the specific duty of revising the assessments in the City and furnishing a complete and up to date D. C. B. statement of Revenue under all heads.

(*b*) Resolved also that the following establishments be attached to his office (also as a temorary measure for 6 months) to facilitate the compiling of assessments, etc., Registers and D. C. B. statements without delay :—

1 Accountant on Rs. 100 plus 25 (he will be Revenue Auditor).
1 clerk on Rs. 25
2 peons on Rs. 12 each.

The establishment engaged for this work, not to exceed Rs. 3,000 in all, for the period of six months is to be sanctioned.

Resolution.—Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao proposed and Mr. Belur Srinivasiengar seconded that the reolutions (a) and (b) of the Special Finance Committee, afer deleting the words "of the grade of a Senior Amildar" in resolution No. (a) referred to above be approved.

Mr. S. N. M. Razvi proposed and Mr. W. H. Hanumanthappa seconded that the consideration of the subject be deferred.

This was lost as 8 voted 'for' and 10 'against.'

The original proposition of Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao was put to vote and carried. 11 voting 'for' and 5 'against' it.

11. To consider applications from Messrs. V. K. Sivaramaiya and D. Shamanna, Municipal Overseers, praying for the enhancement of their grade from 70—10—100 to Rs. 100—10—150 and also the recommendation of the Special Finance Committee proposing to fix the grade of Overseers at Rs. 100—10—150 plus Rs. 30 C. A. corresponding to the grade prescribed for such officers in the Government P. W. D.

Resolution.—Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao proposed and Mr. Belur Srinivasiengar seconded that the recommedation of the Special Finance Committee to fix the grade of the two Municipal Overseers of the Engineering Department at Rs. 100—10—150 plus Rs. 30 C. A., corresponding to the grade prescribed for such officers in the Government Public Works Department be approved and that the present

incumbents, *viz.*, Messrs. V. K. Sivarama Iyer and D. Shamanna who are getting the maximum pay in the grade of Rs. 80 to 100 be put into the grade of Rs. 100—10—150 with effect from 1st May 1927.

The proposition was carried, 18 voting for and 1 against.

No. 62.

PROCEEDINGS OF AN ADJOURNED GENERAL MEETING OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, BANGALORE, HELD ON MONDAY THE 9TH MAY 1927, AT 5 P.M., IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Members.

Present ...	... 13	Absent ...	... 17.

Mr. N. G. Sanjeeviah proposed and Mr. G. B. Raghavendra Char seconded that this meeting be adjourned to enable the Councillors to attend a Public meeting at the London Mission High School this evening. The proposition was put to vote and lost as 2 voted for and 6 against it.

Continuation of the discussion of the subjects on the Agenda.

14. To approve Municipal Commissioner's memo dated 21st March 1927 :—

(a) Recommending the increase of rent by 8 annas per mensem for the zinc sheet sheds in the rear of the Market, as a verandah is newly built, as per Market Committee's resolution, dated 19th February 1927.

Resolution.—The recommendation of the Market Committee to increase the rent of the zinc sheet sheds in the rear of the Market by 8 annas per month be approved.

15. To sanction the acquisition of properties at a cost of Rs. 1423 for opening a conservancy lane to the north of Shanbhog Krishnappa's lane in Mavalli as per City Improvement Committee Resolution, dated 21st February 1927.

Resolution.—Mr. B. L. Byanna proposed and Mr. S. N. M. Razvi seconded that the acquisition of the properties at a cost of Rs. 1,423 for opening the conservancy lane prepared already be sanctioned. Carried unanimously.

17. To consider the question of presenting an Address of Welcome to His Excellency the Viceroy, Lord Irwin, when he visits Bangalore, in the month of July next and to sanction a sum of Rs. 600 for the propose.

Resolution.—Mr. B. L. Byanna proposed and Mr. S. N. M. Razvi seconded that Rs. 200 be substituted for Rs. 600 in the proposition. This was lost as 3 voted for and 9 against it.

The President then moved the following proposition :—

(1) That an Address of Welcome be presented to His Excellency the Viceroy on the occasion of his forthcoming visit to the City.

(2) That a sum of Rs. 600 be sanctioned for the preparation of a casket for presentation, for the printing of address, etc., and (3) that a committee consisting of the following gentlemen be formed to draft the address, etc :—

1. The Honorary President, 2. The Municipal Commissioner, 3. Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao, 4. Mr. G. Paramasiviah, 5. Mr. N. G. Sanjeeviah, 6. Mr. P. M. Basappa, 7. Mr. D. Venkataramiah, 8. Mr. Belur Srinivasiengar, 9. Mr. G. Siddaveerappa, 10. Mr. S. Venkatarangiengar and 11. Mr. N. V. Kalyanpur.

These propositions were seconded by Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao, put to vote and carried 9 voting for and 3 against.

Messrs. B. L. Byanna and Nilgiri Sanjeeviah demanded a poll which was granted.

The following voted "for" :—1. The President, 2. Mr. P. M. Basappa, 3. Mr. R. Gopalaswami Iyer, 4. Mr. Nilgiri Sanjeeviah, 5. Mr. G. Siddaveerappa, 6. Mr. G. Paramasiviah, 7. Mr. N. V. Kalyanpur, 8. Mr. S. Venkataranga Iyengar and 9. Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao.

The following voted against :—

1. Mr. B. L. Byanna, 2. Mr. S. N. M. Razvi and 3. Mr. W. H. Hanumanthappa.

23. To consider letter No. M. P. 31, dated 30th November 1926, from the District Magistrate, Bangalore District, in the matter of granting license for plying on hire motor lorries for carrying loads in all the principal streets of the City. Also the note of the Municipal Commissioner, dated 24th January 1927, stating that the bus traffic may be confined to certain main roads only, with the Managing Committee's opinion, dated 30th March 1927, approving the proposals made by the Commissioner.

Resolution.—Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao proposed and Mr. S. N. M. Razvi seconded that the resolution of the Managing Committee, dated 30th March 1927, approving the proposals of the Municipal Commissioner to restrict the bus traffic for carrying on loads to the main roads as indicated below be sanctioned.

1. From the Malleswaram to the City Railway Station along Sampige Avenue Road and crossing the Bangalore-Chikballapur Railway line near M. & S. M. Police lines.

2. From the City Railway Station to Basavangudi square *via* dharmambudhi tank bund road, Kitchetty Chattram road, District Office road, Hoskota Road and the Fort Centre Road.

Carried unanimously.

(At this stage Mr. S. N. M. Razvi wanted to move a motion for the adjournment of the meeting. But the President did not allow the motion to be moved in view of the fact that a similar motion was lost at the meeting sometime ago.)

24. To consider the proceedings of the Market Committee Meeting, dated 26th March 1927, suggesting that the Special Engineer, City Improvement Works, be appointed as a member of the Market Committee.

Resolution.—Approved.

26. To confirm the sales of sites in Seshadripuram and Palace Guttahalli held on 24th and 26th February 1927.

Resolution.—Resolved that the sales be confirmed.

27. To consider letter No. L. 664—Ml. 154-26-2, dated 22nd March 1927, stating that without an adequate assured supply of water, the underground drains would be dangerous to public health and that the Drainage Scheme cannot be taken into consideration until the water supply question is solved and that the Municipal Council may select some of the most urgent items of work included in the Drainage Scheme and carry them out from their own funds during the next two or three years.

Resolution—Resolved that the subject be referred to the Managing Committee for opinion.

28 The Honorary President to move the following proposition :—

"Whereas it is not practicable, for various reasons, to allot shop sites to the original owners of the land acquired in the Hoskota Road as per resolution of the Municipal Council dated 6th December 1919.

Whereas some of the abovesaid owners have refused to take advantage of the offer made by the Municipality to sell sites at upset prices fixed by the Municipal Council, *vide* their resolution of 1st July 1922.

Whereas among the remaining owners, not a single man has shewn his willingness or come forward to take up the sites, it is resolved that the following resolutions of the Municipal Council be cancelled :—

Council resolution, dated 6th December 1919 :—Subject No. 10 :—Petition dated 12th November 1919, from Yejaman Chickveerappa and Gurubasappa praying for permission to build shops on their land in Hoskota Road, notified for acquisition.

Resolution.—Mr. C. V. Narasimha Iyengar moved as follows :—

That the case of the applicant be dealt with on the same lines as paras practicable as those that were sanctioned in the case of owners whose properties were acquired for the new extension.

Seconded by Mr. S. Venkatachalaiengar.

Mr. Basava Iya proposed an amendment as follows :—

"That with respect to the lands comprised in this scheme, they shall be duly acquired, and if the owners accept the award, be reallotted as far as practicable to the owners themselves who shall be allowed to construct shops according to the designs and conditions approved by the Council excepting for laying out roads, lanes and drains, and that a proportionate cost for laying out the extension be levied on the owners, provided that this concession will be limited to owners whose land to be acquired for the extension is not less than a unit site of 66 feet x 132 feet.

Seconded by Mr. M. Ramachandra Rao Sindia.

The amendment was put to the vote and carried by voting for and none against, total number of Councillors present being 21.

Dated 1st July 1922 :—Subject No. 5 : Memo. No. 649, dated 20th May 1922, from the Executive Engineer, City Improvement Division, submitting a report on the upset price that may be fixed for shop sites on the Hoskota Road.

Resolution.—Proposed by Mr. B. V. Ramaswami Chetty that a Special Committee be appointed to make specific recommendation regarding the fixing up of upset price for shop sites in Hoskote Road, seconded by Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao.

Voting 10 for and 11 against.

The question was then taken up and it was resolved that the memo of the Executive Engineer be adopted in toto.

Voted 15 for and 1 against.

Resolution.—(1) Resolved that the previous resolutions of the Council dated 6th December 1919 and 1st July 1922 referred to in the above be rescinded.

(2) Resolved that the question of the disposal of the sites that still remain unsold be referred to the Managing Committee for opinion.

(3) Further resolved that the disposal of the remaining sites be held over pending the receipt of the opinion of the Managing Committee.

Proposed by the President and seconded by Mr. G. Paramasiviah and carried unanimously.

29. Messrs. P. Murugesam Pillay, P. Subbarama Chetty, R. Gopalaswami Iyer and B. L. Byanna to move :—

"The pot-kiln at Chikmavally existing amidst residential quarters may be removed to some other suitable place in order to relieve the surrounding residents from the horrible smoke nuisance."

Resolution.—Mr. R. Gopalaswamy Iyer proposed and Mr. G. Siddaveerappa seconded (1) that the license for burning the pot-kiln at Chikmavally be not renewed from 1st July 1927 and (2) that a notice be given at once to the party to that effect.

Mr. N. G. Sanjeeviah proposed an amendment that the following words be added to the above resolutions :—

"and that necessary facilities be given to the party for removing his kiln to some other place." This was seconded by Mr. B. L. Byanna. The amendment was lost as 2 voted for and 7 against it.

The original resolutions were then put to vote and carried, 8 voting for and 1 against it.

32. Mr. G. Paramasiviah to move :—

"That a street light be installed near Doctor Nanjundiah's house in Sri Thotadevaragally, Aralepet, III Division."

Resolution.—Resolved that an additional light be installed in Sri Thotadevaragally, Aralepet, at the place referred to above.

Meeting adjourned for want of time to tomorrow (Tuesday the 10th instant) at 5 P.M.

No. 63.

PROCEEDINGS OF AN ADJOURNED MEETING OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, BANGALORE, HELD ON TUESDAY THE 10TH MAY 1927, AT 5 P.M., IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Present ... ... 13 | Absent 17

Mr. Nilgiri Sanjeeviah raised an objection that as the files relating to the second batch of subjects were not circulated to him, all the subjects should be deferred.

The President explained that such of the subjects which Mr. Sanjeeviah wanted to go through may be taken up later on.

Ordinary Subjects.

5. To consider the opinion of the Managing Committee that Government be requested to meet the direction and audit charges at 1½ per cent and 1 per cent respectively together with 5 per cent of the establishment charges of the Office of the Executive Engineer, Water-Supply Department referred to in G. O. No. 1040-44—S., dated 29th February 1927.

Resolution.—Mr. C. Hayavandana Rao proposed and Mr. B. L. Byanna seconded that the opinion of the Managing Committee be approved.

Carried unanimously.

6. To record the memo of the Honorary President, dated 4th December 1926 in the matter of withholding the payment of the value of certain sites taken possession of by the Municipality on the Hoskota Road until the disposal of a Civil suit filed by Mr. Puttaraju against the Municipality and one Mr. Abdulla Khan.

Mr. B. L. Byanna proposed and Mr. S. N. M. Razvi seconded an amendment that the award amount relating to the case pending against the Municipality be sent to the court for proper disposal.

The President ruled this out of order as no award had been passed in this case.

The subject was being discussed when it was brought to notice that there was no quorum. The meeting was therefore adjourned to tomorrow, the 11th instant, at 5 P.M., for want of quorum.

No. 64.

PROCEEDINGS OF AN ADJOURNED MEETING OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, BANGALORE, HELD ON WEDNESDAY THE 11TH MAY 1927, AT 5 P.M., IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Present ... ... 22 | Absent 8

Further consideration of subject No. 6 on the agenda for 7th May 1927.

6. To record the memo of the Honorary President, dated 4th December 1926, in the matter of withholding the payment of the value of certain sites taken possession of by the

Municipality on the Hoskota Road until the disposal of a civil suit filed by Mr. Puttaraju against the Municipality and one Mr. Abdulla Khan.

Mr. W. H. Hanumanthappa raised a point of order that the President's memo dated 4th December 1926 need not be taken congnizance of in the light of the Municipal Commissioner's memo dated 13th November 1926.

The President ruled that it was not a point of order and that the object of the mover would be achieved by voting against the proposition. Mr. Hanumanthappa further questioned the authority of the President to move such a proposition as against the opinion of the Municipal Commissioner. The Chairman informed the member that under the statute the President has the full authority to deal with such subjects.

The President then moved the proposition which was seconded by Mr. Belur Srinivasiengar. It was put to vote and carried, 11 voting for and 9 against it.

7. To consider the letter No. G. 9355-64—Med. 144-26-2, dated 28th February 1927, from the General Secretary to Government requesting opinion in the matter of deputing a respectable lady from the City for being trained in the Civic Association Hospital to be started and for contributing a sum of Rs. 35 per month for meeting expenses thereof.

Resolution.—The Council is not in a position to give any opinion until an Hospital of the kind proposed is actually started.

9. To consider the recommendation of the City Improvement Committee dated 31st March 1927, for giving an additional light opposite the water tap in the Non-Gazetted Officers' Co-operative Society's Extension near Chamrajpet-Guttahalli.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

10. To consider the recommendation of the City Improvement Committee, dated 12th October 1926, for providing an electric light at the eastern end of Marappa's street, Mavalli, to light up the Panchama quarters.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

11. To consider the recommendation of the Municipal Education Committee for the grant of Rs. 50 to the Guzarati school in Arcot Sreenivasachar's street.

Resolution.—That the Municipal Education Committee's recommendation for the grant of Rs. 50 to the Guzarati school be sanctioned, subject to the conditions, (i) of the grant-in-aid codal rules governing such cases, and (ii) that the Education Department do bear the usual proportion of two-thirds of the grant.

13. To consider the letter No. 1379, dated 24th March 1927, from the Executive Engineer, Water Supply Department, forwarding an estimate for Rs. 7,535 for laying an independent 3" C. I. Pipe line for augmenting the supply of water to Gavipur Extension.

Resolution.—That the estimate for Rs. 7,535 be sanctioned.

14. To consider the recommendation of the City Improvement Committee, dated 3rd March 1927, for giving an electric light near Door No. 14 of Thimmia's street so as to serve three streets in Kalasipalyam.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

18. To consider Memo No. 372, dated 20th April 1927, from the Secretary, Municipal Education Committee, submitting definite proposals for starting a school at Goripalya.

Resolution.—Resolved that the recommendation of the Municipal Education Committee to start a school at Goripalya at a monthly recurring expenditure of Rs. 37-8-0 and a non-recurring expenditure of Rs. 150 be approved, subject to the condition that the Education Department do bear the usual proportion of two-thirds of the entire cost."

20. Disposal of tenders for the following works :—

(1) Construction of sweepers' huts in Goripalya.

Resolution.—Mr. C. N. Narasinga Rao proposed and Mr. N. V. Kalyanpur seconded that the lowest tender of Thimmaiya Reddy for Rs. 3422-6-5 be accepted.

This was lost as 3 voted for and 4 against it.

Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao proposed and Mr. B. L. Byanna seconded that the next lowest tender of R. Venkataramanappa for Rs. 3,618 be approved.

This was carried as five voted for and none against it.

(2) For providing kerb stones and forming foot-paths on either side of Race Course Road, from the City Railway Cross Road to Seshadri Road circle near Sawar Line circle.

Resolution.—Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao proposed and Mr. B. L. Byanna seconded that the tender of V. Venkatasanappa for Rs. 1,770 be approved.

Carried unanimously.

27. Mr. G. B. Raghavendrachar to move :—

(*a*) Resolved that this Council be conferred the power of returning two members to the Senate, in view of the ensuing reconstitution of the same.

Resolution.—Mr. G. B. Raghavendrachar proposed and Mr. C. N. Narasinga Rao seconded that a recommendation be made to Government to confer on the City Municipal Council, Bangalore, the right of returning two members of the Council to the Mysore University Senate.

Carried unanimously.

(*b*) "Resolved that in the maidan by the side of Idga and behind the Government Girls' School, Chamrajpet, a small park be formed to serve as a recreation ground for the residents especially the merchants and old men of the locality."

Resolution.—Mr. G. B. Raghavendrachar proposed and Mr. B. L. Byanna seconded the proposition. The proposition was lost as 3 voted for and 5 against it.

Poll was demanded and granted. The following voted 'for'—

1. Mr. B. L. Byanna, 2. Mr. G. B. Raghavendrachar and 3. Mr. S. N. M. Razvi.

The following voted against :—1. Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao, 2. The Honorary President, 3. Mr. S. Venkatarangiengar, 4. Mr. N. V. Kalyanpur, and 5. Mr. C. N. Narasinga Rao.

29. Mr. S. Venkatarangiengar to move as follows :—

In the matter of the acquisition of survey Nos. 24, 25 and 26 of Jakkasandra village, Bangalore Taluk, for the completion of the layout of Malleswaram Extension.

(1) "Resolved that the Council do pay the awarded sum of Rs. 1,007-6-0 in respect of 29 guntas of survey No. 25 and request the Land Acquisition Officer to deliver possession of the property to the Municipality."

(2) "Resolved that the Land Acquisition Officer be requested to proceed with the acquisition of 3 acres and 11 guntas belonging to Survey No. 24."

(3) "Resolved that the Municipal Council do withdraw from the acquisition of 3 acres and 8 guntas out of survey No. 26, for which small area Rs. 15,729-8-6 have been awarded by the Land Acquisition Officer against the Rule XVII."

(4) "Resolved that the Land Acquisition Officer be requested to proceed with the acquisition of the remaining area of Survey No. 26, *viz.*, 4 acres and 11 guntas."

Resolution.—Mr. S. Venkatarangiengar proposed and Mr. N. V. Kalyanpur seconded that the propositions Nos. 1, 2 and 3 referred to in the above be adopted.

Three were put to vote one after another and carried unanimously.

Proposition No. 4 was withdrawn.

2. That in view of the proposed widening of the Avenue Road to 60 feet and making available such space as is needed for it near the market square, the design and plan of the "Market Frontage" buildings towards the east up to Avenue Road revised as per instructions of Messrs. Krumbiegel and Lakshminarasappa during their joint inspection on 6th April 1927 and the revised estimate for Rs. 13,000 prepared on these lines be approved in place of the plans and estimate approved in the Municipal Council resolution dated 18th January 1927 for Rs. 20,960.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

4. The plan and estimate for Rs. 16,500 prepared and submitted by Mr S. H. Lakshminarasappa, Architect Assistant to the Chief Engineer, for constructing the cattle pound be approved in place of those approved by the Municipal Council in their resolution, dated 13th December 1926 for Rs. 16,500.

Resolution.—Approved.

7. To approve of the Municipal Commissioner's memo dated 5th April 1927, requesting sanction to incur an expenditure of Rs. 500 towards the pay of the special establishment stationery and incidental charges for preparing correct lists of voters in connection with the ensuing Municipal elections.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

8. To accord sanction for the purchase of a Dennis Patent Convertible street watering and washing machine and threeway tripping wagon, with tank capacity of 1,200 gallons at a probable cost of Rs. 8,500.

(*Note.*—It can sprinkle to a width of 50 feet. The pump may also be used to throw a useful jet of 175 gallons of water per minute at 100 lbs. pressure or 225 gallons per minute at 85 lbs. pressure, thus forming an efficient fire fighting machine.)

Resolution.—That the purchase of the watering waggon of the kind referred to above at a cost of Rs. 8,500 be sanctioned.

As it was 7-30 P.M., the meeting was adjourned to Thursday the 19th instant at 5 P.M. for the consideration of the remaining subjects.

No. 65.

PROCEEDINGS OF AN ADJOURNED GENERAL MEETING OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, BANGALORE, HELD ON THURSDAY THE 19TH MAY 1927, AT 5 P.M. IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Members.

Present ... ... 6 | Absent 24

Continuation of the subjects on the agenda.

22. To consider letter No. L. 7546—Ml. 178-26-2, dated 21st April 1927, from the Chief Secretary to Government, stating that the Bangalore City Municipality will have to bear the excess charges of the ornamental lights installed in the City and that the special considerations relating to Mysore in the matter of payment of royalty on such lights do not apply to Bangalore.

Resolution.—That the Council do request the Government to reconsider the matter in view of the large cost involved in this connection and also the large expenditure the Municipality is incurring on the Electric light system already in force.

Continuation of Additional Subjects.

No. 9. To confirm the sale of sites on the Hoskota Road held on the 26th April 1927.

Resolution.—Resolved that the sales be confirmed. Proposed by the President and seconded by Mr. S. Venkatarangiengar and carried unanimously.

14. To sanction the installation of three additional street lights on the City Railway Cross road as per Municipal Engineer's memo No. 919, dated 7th April 1927.

Resolution.—Resolved that three additional street lights be installed on the City Railway Station Cross road. Proposed by the President and seconded by Mr. S. Venkatarangiengar and carried unanimously.

No. 66.

PROCEEDINGS OF A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, BANGALORE, HELD ON SATURDAY THE 21ST MAY 1927, AT 8 A.M., IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Members.

Present ... ... 11 | Absent 19

In pursuance of a requisition signed by 13 Councillors, the Special Meeting was called for the consideration of the following proposition :—

"This Council rescinds its previous decision of September last authorising Mr. Daroga Abdul Gaffoor to construct a permanent structure upon the Municipal vacant land just in front of Mr. D. K. Muniswamappa's house at Dodmavalli and further declares that it be left vacant on the grounds of sanitation."

Mr. B. L. Byanna proposed and Mr. G. B. Raghavendrachar seconded the proposition.

Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao raised a point of order that though this is a properly constituted meeting as contemplated in Section 26, Clause (2) of the Municipal Regulation, there is, legally, no business before the meeting for consideration and that the meeting should be dissolved on the ground that the power of granting license under Section 96 of the Municipal Regulation and all its sub-clauses is entirely vested in the Municipal Commissioner under Section 186, clause (g) of the Municipal Regulation and that under Section 186, clause (1) his decisions under Section 96 are not appealable and that therefore it is not within the purview of this Council to consider the subject.

The President invited the members of the Council to enlighten him with their views on this point of order.

After hearing the arguments of some of the Councillors the President gave a ruling that the point of order raised holds good and that the meeting be and is hereby dissolved.

No. 67.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, BANGALORE, HELD ON WEDNESDAY THE 25TH MAY 1927, AT 5 P.M., IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL OFFICE.

Members.

Present ... ... 12 | Absent 18

1. To consider the *ad interim* report of the Bangalore Water-Supply Committee received from the Chief Engineer with his D. O. No. 411, dated 4th February 1927, regarding the possibility of the Bangalore Water-Supply System being placed on a satisfactory basis by constructing a new tank on the Magadi Road.

Resolution.—Resolved that the City Municipal Council do agree to the suggestion made by the Chief Engineer to meet informally the Civil and Military Station authorities and the Members of the Committee and discuss the proposals referred to in the letter read above and the interim report of the Water-Supply Committee.

Proposed by the President and seconded by Mr. W. H. Hanumanthappa and carried unanimously.

2. To sanction the estimate for Rs. 85,000 received from the Special Engineer, City Improvement Works, for the construction of the New Municipal Office Buildings prepared in accordance with the resolution of the Municipal Council, dated 26th March 1927.

Resolution.—The estimate for Rs. 85,000 received from the Special Engineer, City Improvement Works, for the construction of the New Municipal Office be sanctioned, the plans being subject to necessary alterations, and that the tenders for the execution of the work be invited, pending the approval of the estimate by Government.

Proposed by the President and seconded by Mr. C. N. Narasinga Rao and carried unanimously.

3. To sanction the acquisition of a strip of land out of the compound of "Ananda Asrama" and the Premier Metal Factory for widening the Sri Narasimharajendra Road.

Resolution.—Resolved that the acquisition of a strip of land measuring 823 square yards forming part of "Ananda Asrama" and 393 square yards comprised in the Premier Metal Factory be acquired and that the valuation statement, dated 23rd May 1927, submitted by the Special Engineer, City Improvement Works, amounting to Rs. 4,817 *plus* statutory allowance be approved.

Proposed by the President and seconded by Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao and carried unanimously.

No. 69.

PROCEEDINGS OF AN ADJOURNED SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, BANGALORE CITY, HELD ON MONDAY THE 30TH MAY 1927, AT 4 P.M., IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL OFFICE.

Members.

Present ... ... 11 | Absent 19

1. To consider the continuance of the present arrangement for the collection of the market gate fees at the central vegetable market for another year from 1st July 1927, with the sanctioned establishment.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

2. To consider the continuance of the present arrangement for the collection of tolls by departmental agency for another year from 1st July 1927, with the sanctioned establishment.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

3. To consider the continuance of the present arrangement for the collection of fees at Slaughterhouse for another year from 1st July 1927, with the establishment sanctioned for the purpose.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

4. To consider the continuance of the present arrangement for the collection of fees on grass bundle at the market jutka stand for another year from 1st July 1927, with the sanctioned establishment.

Resolution.—Sanctioned.

5. To consider the tenders for the following miscellaneous items of revenue for the official year 1927-28:—

(1) Akkipet Market.

It was resolved that the Municipal Commissioner be requested to ascertain about the solvency and status of Jaffer Sheriff Sahib and report the matter to the Municipal Council at its next meeting on 4th June 1927.

(2) Taramandalpet Market.

Mr. B. L. Byanna proposed that the highest tender of Mr. Jaffer Sheriff for Rs. 2,105 be accepted. Four voted for and five against the proposition.

Mr. B. L. Byanna demanded a poll.

The following voted for:—

1. Mr. G. B. Raghavendrachar, 2. Mr. B. L. Byanna, 3. Mr. S. Venkatarangiengar, and 4. Mr. N. V. Kalyanpur.

The following voted against:—

1. The Honorary President, 2. Mr. S. N. Sitharama Rao, 3. Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao, 4. Mr. S. N. M. Razvi, and 5. The President (casting vote).

The President proposed that Mr. Abdul Khalak's tender for Rs. 2,100 be accepted. Five voted for and four against the proposition. The proposition was carried.

(3) Other Markets.

The President proposed that the highest tender of Mr. Jaffer Sheriff be accepted. Six voted for and one against.

Resolved that the highest tender of Mr. Jaffer Sheriff for Rs. 600 be accepted.

(4) Old Patnoolpet Cartstand.
Resolved that the highest tender of Mr. Abdulla Khan for Rs. 1,950 be accepted.
(5) New Tharagupet Cartstand.
Resolved that the tender of Mr. Mohamed Imam for Rs. 1,350 be accepted.
(6) Malleswaram Sewage Farm.
Resolved that fresh tenders be called.
(7) Slaughterhouse Sheep Manure.
Resolution.—Resolved that the tender of Messrs. M. A. Jabbar Brothers, for Rs. 42-8-0 be accepted.
(8) Slaughterhouse Blood.
Resolution.—That the tender of Mr. Ghouse Sahib for Rs. 15 be accepted.
(9) Manure in Goripalya.
Resolution.—Fresh tenders to be called.
(10) Cocoanut Produce.
Resolution.—Fresh tenders to be called.
(11) Manure:—
Division No. I.
Resolution.—That the tender of Mr. Chunchappa for Rs. 725 be accepted.
Division No. II, Block (i).
Resolution.—That the tender of Mr. Bachappa for Rs. 1,175 be accepted.
Division No. II, Block 2.
Resolution.—That the tender of Mr. Muniramappa for Rs. 1,655 be accepted.
Division No. II, Block 3.
Resolution.—The tender of Mr. Munisamappa for Rs. 1,300 be accepted.
Division No. III, Block No. 1.
Resolution.—The tender of Mr. Venkatasamappa for Rs. 655 be accepted.
Division No. III, Block 2.
Resolution.—The tender of Mr. Muniramappa for Rs. 1,805 be accepted.
Division No. III, Block 3.
Resolution.—The tender of Mr. Muniswamappa for Rs. 2,325 be accepted.
Division No. III, Block 4.
Resolution.—The tender of Mr. Venkatasamappa for Rs. 1455 be accepted.
Division No. IV, Block 1.
Resolution.—The tender of Mr. Patel Munisami Reddi for Rs. 1,560 be accepted.
Division No. IV, Block 2.
Resolution.—The tender of Mr. Muniramanna for Rs. 1,525 be accepted.
Division No. V.
Resolution.—Fresh tenders to be called.
Division No. VI, Block 1.
Resolution.—Fresh tenders to be called.
Division No. VI, Block 2.
Resolution.—The tender of M. Venkataramanappa for Rs. 180 be accepted.
Division No. VII, Block 1.
Resolution.—The tender of Mr. Munisami for Rs. 420 be accepted.
Division No. VII, Block 2.
Resolution.—To be renotified.
Shankarapura.
Resolution.—The tender of Mr. P. Kondappa for Rs. 180 be accepted.
Division No. VIII.
Resolution.—Fresh tenders to be called.
Division No. IX.
Resolution.—Fresh tenders to be called for.
(12) Pasture Lands.
Kaval No. 1.
Resolution.—The tender of Mr. K. Mallappa for Rs. 10 be accepted.
Kaval No. 2.
Resolution.—The tender of Mr. Hosmane Muddiah for Rs. 226 be accepted.
Kaval No. 3.
Resolution.—The tender of Mr. Hosmane Muddiah for Rs. 76 be accepted.
Koval No. 4.
Resolution.—Fresh tenders to be called.
Kaval No. 5.
Resolution.—Fresh tenders to be called.
Kaval No. 6.
Resolution.—Fresh tenders to be called.
Kaval No. 7.
Resolution.—The tender of Mr. Mallappa for Rs. 10 be accepted.

Kaval No. 8.
Resolution.—The tender of Mr. Basappa for Rs. 12 be accepted.
Kaval No. 9.
Resolution.—The tender of Mr. Basappa for Rs. 13 be accepted.
Kaval No. 10.
Resolution.—Fresh tenders to be called.
Kaval No. 11.
Resolution.—The tender of Mr. Basappa for Rs. 15 be accepted.
Kaval No. 12.
Resolution.—Fresh tenders to be called.
Kaval No. 13.
Resolution.—Fresh tenders to be called for.
Kaval No. 14.
Resolution—Fresh tenders to be called for.
Kaval No. 15.
Resolution.—To be renotified.
Kaval Nos. 16, 17, 18 and 19 (a) to (*i*) and Basavangud.
Resolution.—To be renotified.
Municipal Garden.
Resolution.—The tender of Mr. K. Mallappa for Rs. 10 be accepted.
(13) Malleswaram Market.
Resolution.—To be renotified.

No. 70.

PROCEEDINGS OF A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, BANGALORE, HELD AT 8 A.M., IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL OFFICE ON THURSDAY THE 2ND JUNE 1927.

Members.

Present ... 14 | Absent ... 16

SUBJECT.

To consider the Draft Budget Estimates of the Municipality for the year 1927-28.

Resolution.—As the Budget Estimates have not yet been considered by the Managing Committee, the meeting is adjourned to 6th June 1927, at 5 P.M. in order to enable the Managing Committee to scrutinize the Budget and place their recommendations before the Council on the 6th June 1927.

No. 71.

PROCEEDINGS OF AN ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, BANGALORE, HELD ON SATURDAY THE 4TH JUNE 1927, AT 8 A.M. IN THE COUNCIL CHAMBER.

Members.

Present ... 19 | Absent ... 11

The Proceedings of the meetings held on 7th, 9th and 10th, 11th and 19th May 1927, were taken as read.

The Proceedings of the meeting held on 21st May 1927, were read and recorded.

Mr. B. L. Byanna observed that the arguments of such of the members who held opposite views regarding the point of order raised at the said meeting might be recorded. The President said that only the decisions arrived at are to be recorded and not the arguments.

ORDINARY SUBJECT.

8. To consider letter No. 645½, dated 18th May 1927, from the Engineer-in-Chief, Mysore Railways, Mysore, forwarding for approval, two survey plans showing the proposed Railway Stations and alignments of Bangalore-Hosur Railway line from Bangalore City Railway Station throughout the Municipal limits.

The President explained the salient features of the proposals. Then the Railway Engineer-in-Chief who was present at the request of the Presiden texplained the proposals in detail.

The following resolution was passed :—

Resolution.—Resolved that the alignment of the Railway line and the proposals connected therewith be generally approved. Further resolved that a Sub-Committee consisting of the following members be appointed to suggest to the Railway Department places where additional stations might be opened for the convenience of people residing in Chamrajpet and Gavipur Extensions.

1. Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao, B.A., B.L.
2. ,, Nilgiri Sanjeeviah.
3. ,, C. N. Narasinga Rao, B.A., B.L.
4. ,, P. Subbaramachetty.
5. ,, R. Gopalaswami Iyer.

6. The proposition was moved by the Chair and seconded by Mr. S. Venkatarangiengar and carried unanimously.

Additional Subject No. 14.

ove acquisition of a strip of land out of Mr. Basetty Dharmatope between
lrappa & Sons and Muniswamy & Sons in order to widen the Lal-Bagh road as
the City Improvement Committee in its Resolution, dated 24th March 1927.
lution.—Resolved that the property be acquired and that acquisition statement
be placed before the Land Acquisition Officer in order that immediate action
be taken to acquire the property.

Additional Subject No. 13.

he rate of royalty payable to Government on account of ornamental lights and
he installation of such lights in the following places :—

1. Post Office Road.
2. Sri Narasimharajendra Circle.
3. Sri Narasimharajendra Road.
4. Sri Krishnarajendra Road.
5. Market Circle, and
6. Vani Vilas Circle.

tion.—Resolved that the rate of royalty payable to Government in case of
ornamental lamps of 150 to 400 C. P. at Rs. 45 each and in case of a cluster
with five lights at Rs. 150 as per oral agreement reached between the Presi-
dent and the Chief Electrical Engineer be approved, capital expenditure for
installing such lights having been borne by the Electrical Department.

esolved that ornamental lights be installed in the following places with three
r in the market square and one lamp of cluster in the Vani Vilas square (near
School.)
in Road between Sirdar Kantaraj Urs Circle and Krishnarajendra Circle.
arasimharaja Square (Cenotaph).
arasimharaja Road (Hoskota Road between market square and Cenotaph).
rishnarajendra Road (For Centre Road between Market Square and the
ational High School).
Vilas Circle (Near National High School).
Office Road.
y the Chairman and seconded by Mr. D. Venkataramiah and carried unani-

was also agreed by the Chief Electrical Engineer that the royalty payable
lights installed in the Krishnarajendra Circle would be met from the Budget
Department.

Ordinary Subject No. 43.

yanna moved the following proposition :—
cil resolves that the property, *i.e.*, vacant land in front of Mr. D. K. Muni-
between Appianna's and Kempanna's streets at Dodda Mavalli be acquired
vacant on the grounds of sanitation and public health."
nt seconded the proposition.
.—Resolved that the acquisition of this property be approved.

Ordinary Subject No. 42.

anjeeviah moved on behalf of Mr. G. Muniyappa the following proposi-

land originally intended and acquired to serve as a lung space by the side
ilari Road be kept open for the said purpose after re-acquiring it."
Hanumanthappa seconded and Mr. S. N. Sitarama Rao supported the

—Resolved that the property be acquired for better sanitation.
con.

Deferred Subject No. 4.

moved the following proposition :—
w of the fact that the Bugle Rock in Basavangudi is situated in a high
e air on and around the place is very salubrious and conducive to the
resorting there, resolved that steps may be taken to convert it and its
attractive and pleasant park for the benefit of the public."
a Rao seconded the same.

Ordinary Subject No. 9.

To consider letter No. C. 5929—26-27, dated 13th May 1927, from the Inspe of Education in Mysore, Bangalore, suggesting the name of Mr. T. S. Gopala I Assistant Inspector of Education, Arsikere, as a suitable successor of Mr. Murthi, B.A., Superintendent of Municipal Schools, Bangalore City, and en Municipal Council would be agreeable to have his services together with the lett May 1927, from the Chairman, Municipal Education Committee in the matter.

The President proposed and Mr. D. Venkataramiah seconded that the pr Inspector-General of Education to appoint Mr. T. S. Gopala Iyengar as Supe Municipal Schools be accepted.

The proposition was put to vote and carried unanimously.

No. 72.

PROCEEDINGS OF AN ADJOURNED SPECIAL MEETING OF THE CITY MUNICIP BANGALORE, HELD AT 5 P. M. ON MONDAY THE 6TH JUNE 1927, IN CHAMBER OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL OFFICE.

Members.

Present	... 11	Absent	13

Subject.—Consideration of the Draft Budget Estimates of the Bangalore pality for the year 1927-28.

Mr. W. H. Hanumanthappa proposed and Mr. C. N. Narasinga Rao sec consideration of the Draft Budget Estimates be deferred to some date in July

The proposition was put to vote and carried, 9 voting for and none against

It was suggested by some of the members present that in the meanti Budget Estimates might be got printed and copies circulated among the m Council.

No. 74.

PROCEEDINGS OF AN ADJOURNED GENERAL MEETING OF THE CITY MU BANGALORE, HELD ON 8TH JUNE 1927, AT 4-30 P.M., IN THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY MUNICIPAL OFFICE.

Members.

Present	... 11	Absent	1

3. To consider the recommendation of the Managing Committee, dated for the entertainment of watchmen, etc., at a cost of Rs. 510 during the ne against the surreptitious use of sewage water from the main drain.

Resolution.—Sanctioned. Due provision being made in the next ye

1. To approve of the revised plan and estimate of the proposed stora Mysore Road, adopting the same facade as that of the Market frontage as s Chief Engineer in Mysore.

Resolution.—That the revised plan and estimate for Rs. 73,500 b that early steps be taken for starting the construction work.

5. Mr. N. V. Kalyanpur moved and Mr. S. Venkataramgiengar seco

(*a*) That the 1st cross road of Seshadripuram on the East be prope the necessary drains to carry storm water.

Resolution.—Sanctioned. The Municipal Engineer be requested to estimates.

5. (*b*) Mr. N. V. Kalyanpur moved and Mr. S. Venkataramgiengar s

(*b*) That as it is not possible at present to continue the masonry s on the north side of the west end of the 9th cross road of Malleswara scours, silt dams or granite slabs be constructed across the deep scours in at the west end of the north side of the 6th cross road and on the east si road up to the culvert, in view to prevent further serious damages an costs to the Municipality.

Resolution.—Sanctioned. The Municipal Engineer be requested estimates.

Ordinary Subjects.

2. (*b*) Government Order No. D. 9872-6—Edn. 95-26-20, dated 8 ing the introduction of the medical inspection into the Primary School from the next academic year and the levy of a fee of four annas from e

Mr. C. Hanumanthaya Rao proposed that in accepting the Governm

6. To consider the question of appointing a Visitor from the Municipal Council to visit the Mohamedan Orphanage, Dickenson Road, Bangalore, for which a Municipal grant has been sanctioned.

Resolution.—Resolved that Mr. S. N. M. Razvi be appointed Official Visitor on behalf of the Municipal Council.

Moved by Mr. G. B. Raghavendrachar and seconded by Mr. R. Gopalaswami Iyer and carried *nem con.*

12. To consider letter No. 11980—Med. 127-26-6, dated 13th May 1927, from the General Secretary to the Government of Mysore, Bangalore, forwarding a copy of letter No. C. 711-5, dated 11th April 1927, received from the Sanitary Commissioner in Mysore, for furnishing the opinion of the Municipal Council as to whether they would bear the cost of a Leper Out-patient Dispensary proposed to be opened in Bangalore City.

The following proposition was moved by Mr. G. Paramasiviah and seconded by Mr. G. B. Raghavendrachar and carried *nem con.*—

"The Government be informed that the Municipality cannot see its way to bear the cost of the proposed dispensary."

13. To consider letter No. S. T. 370, dated 16th April 1927, from the Secretary, Municipal Education Committee, Bangalore, forwarding a copy of the resolution, dated 31st March 1927 of the Education Committee suggesting removal of the one lakh limit towards expenditure on Primary Education in the City and recommending the payment of a contribution to Government of one-half of the expenditure when it exceeds rupees one lakh.

The Honorary President proposed that the limit of expenditure be raised to Rs. 1,50,000 on Primary Education in Bangalore City and that the Municipal Council do pay one-third of the cost incurred up to a limit of one lakh of rupees as usual and half of the extra expenditure over one lakh. Mr. C. Hayavadana Rao seconded the proposition.

The proposition was put to vote and carried unanimously.

15. To consider the question of purchasing water meters of 1" and ¾" which are now reported to be available at Rs. 27-12-0 and Rs. 30-14-0, respectively.

Resolution.—Resolved that a sum of Rs. 25,000 be sanctioned for purchasing meters in consultation with the Chief Engineer and the Stores Purchase Committee.

16. To consider letter No. G. 2516 of 26-27, dated 23rd May 1927, from the Chief Commandant, Mysore State Troops, Bangalore, recommending a conveyance allowance to the Bandsmen who play at the City Market Band Stand.

Resolution.—Resolved that an additional sum of Rs. 5 be sanctioned for each performance as conveyance allowance with effect from 1st July 1927.

17. To consider letter No. E. T. 484, dated 17th May 1927, from the Secretary, Municipal Education Committee, Bangalore, forwarding a copy of the resolution of the Municipal Education Committee dated 3rd May 1927, recommending a lumpsum grant of Rs. 25 to the Secretary, Kalamandiram towards the Education Exhibition held in February 1927.

Resolution.—Resolved that a lump sum grant of Rs. 25 be sanctioned.

18. To consider letter No. 1932-33, dated 9th February 1927, from the Inspector-General of Education in Mysore, Bangalore, requesting for an annual grant of Rs. 1,000 from Municipal funds towards the up-keep of the Scout movement, together with the resolution of the Municipal Education Committee, stating that they cannot recommend for a general grant to the movement and that they would help the formation of Club Troops in the City of Bangalore.

Resolution.—Resolved that the opinion of the Education Committee be accepted and duly communicated to the Inspector-General of Education.

MOHAMED ABBAS KHAN,
Honorary President.

CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

Notification dated 1st July 1927.

Under Section 4 of the Mysore Village Courts Regulation, Mr. B. S. Ramachandra Rao Landholder, is appointed Village Munsiff of Bommagatta, Molkalmuru Taluk, for one year with effect from 1st May 1927.

D. SRINIVASA IYENGAR,
Deputy Commissioner.